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FOLLOWING REPEAT CARACAS 11070 ACTION SECSTATE QUITO

8 OCTOBER.

QUOTE

S E C R E T CARACAS 11070

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QUITO FOR ACTING SECRETARY INGERSOLL AND ASSISTANT SECRETARY ROGERS

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PFOR OAS VE CU

SUBJECT: CUBA AT QUITO

1. DURING OUR TAK THIS AFTERNOON ON OIL AND OTHER MATTERS,  
FONMIN SCHACHT OPENED THE CONVERSATION BY EXPRESSING DEEP  
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ANXIETY TINGED WITH PESSIMISM OVER THE OUTCOME OF THE QUITO

CONFERENCE.

2. WITHOUT GOING INTO DETAIL, IT SEEMED THAT HE HAD MADE SOME SORT OF POLL OF THE POSITION OF OTHER LATIN AMERICAN GOVERNMENTS AND THOUGHT THAT THE RESULTS WERE DISTINCTLY UNSATISFACTORY. HE SEVERAL TIMES ALLUDED TO THE THREAT TO THE OAS SYSTEM AND SAID THAT WHETHER THERE WAS A RESOLUTION OR NOT, A NUMBER OF LATIN AMERICAN GOVERNMENTS WERE DETERMINED TO GO THEIR OWN WAY IN RECOGNIZING CUBA. THIS HE THOUGHT WOULD BE DIASTROUS TO THE INTER-AMERICAN SYSTEM AND REPEATED THE FIRM CONVICTION THAT THERE COULD BE NO EFFECTIVE OAS WITHOUT THE UNITED STATES.

3. MY OVERALL IMPRESSION WAS THAT SCHACHT HAD RECEIVED INFORMATION FROM HIS VARIOUS EMBASSIES INDICATING NO CLEAR CUT SUPPORT FOR THE VENEZUELAN-COLOMBIAN-COSTA RICAN INITIATIVE, AND THAT HE IS INCLINED TO DOUBT THAT THE QUITO CONFERENCE WILL PRODUCE A MAJORITY VOTE ON ANYTHING.

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